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SERIAL NUMBER: 10/092,212)	EXAMINER: P. NILAND
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FILED: MARCH 6, 2002)	RESPONSE TO PAPER #9
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TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND)	
THEIR USE FOR THE)	
THICKENING OF AQUEOUS)	
SYSTEMS)	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 26, 2003, Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time along with the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

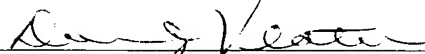
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